IN THE CLAIMS:

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Claim 1 (previously amended): An LED lighting fixture wherein a plurality of elliptically light distributing LEDs are arranged radially on a horizontal circumference and wherein each of said plurality of elliptically light distributing LEDs have a wider divergence angle horizontally than vertically.

Claim 2 (original): The LED lighting fixture according to claim 1, further comprising a lens provided with a diffusion part that diffuses light only in a horizontal direction.

Claim 3 (currently amended): The LED lighting fixture according to claim 2, wherein the diffusion part is a film.

Claim 4 (currently amended): An LED lighting fixture wherein a lens is comprised of a <u>cylindrical</u> unit-type lens, and a plurality of elliptically light distributing LEDs are provided in a center of said <u>cylindrical</u> unit-type lens and arranged radially on a horizontal circumference and wherein each of said plurality of elliptically light distributing LEDs have a wider divergence angle horizontally than vertically.

Claim 5 (currently amended): The LED lighting fixture according to claim 4, wherein said lens is comprised of a plurality of <u>said cylindrical</u> unit-type lenses that are stacked <u>one upon another</u>.

Claim 6 (currently amended): The LED lighting fixture according to claim 5, wherein the stacked stack of said plurality of cylindrical unit-type lenses are fastened together by an axially extending a screw that runs extends axially of said cylindrical unit-type lenses and through bosses provided in a center of each of said plurality of cylindrical unit-type lenses.

Claim 7 (previously amended): An LED lighting fixture comprising a plurality of LEDs each having a horizontal divergence angle of 120° - 150°, which is wider than that of a conventional LED, and a vertical divergence angle that is narrower than that of a conventional LED.